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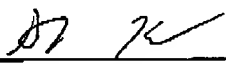
Examiner Lawrence Williams is thanked for the Office Action of November 19, 2004. Claims 34-38 and 44-50 have been allowed, claims 1-12, 16-17, 19-22, 26-27 and 29-30 and 39 have been rejected, and claims 13-15, 18, 23-25, 28, 31-33 and 40-43 have been objected to.

In response to the Office Action, the allowable subject matter has been incorporated into independent form. Specifically, the subject matter of claim 24 has been inserted into claim 1 and the subject matter of claim 25 has been inserted into claim 5. The subject matter of claim 13 has been inserted into claim 9, the subject matter of claim 33 has been inserted into claim 29, and the subject matter of claim 41 has been inserted into claim 39. New independent claim 51 contains the subject matter of claims 39 and 40. Accordingly, claims 13, 23, 33 and 40-41 have been cancelled.

Applicants now respectfully request a Notice of Allowance. The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned Agent if any issues remain.

Respectfully submitted,
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